

DAY IN DAVENPORT

Burglars Enter Residence.—Burglars entered the residence of C. H. Pilling, 108 West Eighteenth street, some time Sunday night, ransacked dresser drawers in a careful search for loot and escaped with articles valued at \$50. The robbery was reported to the police and city detectives are working on the case. Entrance was gained to the house by the robbers through a rear window. Among the missing valuables were silver knives, forks and spoons.

Two Ton Cable Falls.—Pedestrians walking along Tenth street, east of Farnam street, narrowly escaped serious injury yesterday morning, when at 8:45 o'clock, over 1,000 feet of cable, belonging to the Union Electric company, fell from the poles to the ground. The cable weighed over two tons. The cable carried 100 pair of wires and has not been in use for some time. Drop wires belonging to the Iowa Telephone company were carried away by the fall and a number of telephones in that vicinity are useless. In falling the cable struck the endgate of a passing wagon and carried away the gate, tearing it from the steel hinges. Many people walking along the street miraculously escaped being hit. The cable has been abandoned for a number of years. The fastening had decayed, having been in service for the past 10 years.

Injured in Fall.—A fall from a wagon at Eighth and Harrison streets Sunday afternoon resulted in severe injuries to John Briscoe, a negro, who was thrown to the ground and his head badly bruised. The man was brought to the police station in the ambulance where his injuries were attended to. The horse which Briscoe was driving became frightened and giving a sudden lurch forward threw the driver to the pavement.

Fight Over Christening.—A fight had to have resulted from a dispute over the christening of a baby's name at a christening Sunday afternoon, caused the arrest of Milo John and John Galowich and, the police say, caused the fracture of the lower limb of one Tom Wiley. The men were arrested near Ninth and Gained streets. Wiley, according to the police, was taken to his home after the fracas. Others mixed up in the affair are being sought by the officers. John and Galowich put up \$25 each for their appearance in police court.

Held for Forgery.—Arrested before Magistrate Roddewig in police court yesterday morning on a charge of uttering a forged instrument, Frank D. Marshall, arrested by Sheriff Louis Eckhardt near Eldridge, was bound over to the grand jury, his bonds fixed at \$500. Marshall is alleged to have uttered a forged check bearing the signature of J. J. Kuhl, and payable at the German Savings bank, Eldridge. The check was for \$35 and made out in favor of the defendant. It was dated Aug. 30.

To Tax Incomes.—A big task is facing George W. Bird, deputy revenue collector, and A. P. Brugge, stamp deputy in the Davenport postoffice of the United States internal revenue department. They have received a request from Louis Murphy of Dubuque, revenue collector for the Iowa district, for information regarding the number of large incomes in their territory. This information the department is gathering for the purpose of presenting to congress to be used in considering the proposed new personal income tax legislation. Mr. Brugge is asked to furnish figures for Davenport and Scott county, and Mr. Bird will survey all of the nine counties within his division. These are

Jackson, Clinton, Scott, Muscatine, Washington, Keokuk, Iowa, Johnson and Cedar counties.

League to Meet.—The annual election of the Scott County Farm Improvement league will be held the coming Friday at the court house and President A. F. Dawson, who has served throughout the past year, will in all probability be the choice of the league for the coming season. The league believes that much has been done through the organization to increase the production of the farms of the county.

High Mass at Cathedral.—The celebration of high mass at the Sacred Heart Cathedral at 10:30 will be resumed next Sunday, Sept. 7, when the boy choir will again be heard under Prof. Otto's direction. Mrs. William Kuhl will be at the organ. The masses at the cathedral are at 6, 7:30, 9 and 10:30 and will continue at these hours for the coming year.

Police News.—Joe Hammond drew a ten days' sentence and Harry Garney was sent to jail for 15 days by Magistrate Roddewig yesterday for intoxication. The men were arrested Saturday night. The case of Henry Horstman, charged with assault and battery by his wife, was continued. The man was released on his own recognizance to appear when wanted. The case of Eugene Battisford, charged with disturbing the peace, was continued. Battisford and an acquaintance were engaged in a quarrel when the police interfered.

Obituary Record.—Richard Steinbock, 1 years old, died at 10:20 Sunday night at the home, 313 Dittmer street. Diphtheria was the cause of death. Funeral services were held yesterday morning from the family home, with interment at Fairmount cemetery.

SILVIS

Professor Justin Washburn has moved his family here from Carboia Cliff and will enter upon his duties as principal of the McKinley school here Tuesday.

Mrs. Pfeiffer and two little daughters of Moline visited relatives here last Friday.

Charles Clark and family of Twelfth street are entertaining his son, Edward Clark, and Miss Bunlin and mother of Indiana.

The Misses Ada and Pearl Steckman of Audalusia returned to their home last Friday afternoon after spending six weeks here with their sister, Mrs. Conrad Schadt of First avenue.

Miss Mildred Dorman has returned home from a visit at Colona with her cousins.

Last Wednesday evening Mrs. Ulysses Bell entertained at cards as a farewell courtesy to Mrs. T. Crawford and Mrs. James Shannon, who depart soon for California, when the following were guests: Mrs. Emmert, Miss Carrie Evans, Mrs. James Shannon, Miss Donaghy, Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Bunlin.

Miss Florence Murdoch of Coal Valley is visiting at the home of Mrs. Emil Klebe.

Dr. Hardy is seriously ill with neuralgia of the stomach.

Mrs. William Emmert recently had as a guest, Miss Carrie Evans of Minneapolis.

A new notion store will be erected on First avenue and work on the foundation has already begun.

Charles Mason is having a new residence erected on Eighth street and Third avenue.

Miss Nellie Phelps arrived home last Thursday from a six weeks' visit in Independence, Iowa, with relatives.

Last Wednesday Mrs. T. Crawford was the guest of honor at the home of

Mrs. George McKinley, when Mrs. Francis Stevens and Mesdames Harper and Shannon were also guests at a dinner party. Carnations were the decorations and a four-course dinner was served. Mrs. Crawford departs soon for California to spend the winter.

Mr. Welsh will move his family to Marshalltown, Iowa, and Charles Stevens will move into the Fry property to be vacated by them. Emil Klebe will move into Mike Fitzgibbon's property.

Miss Marie Walsh and mother have as a guest Miss Margaret Shaughnessy of Chicago.

Little Emily Laura Ireland and parents were paid a visit by Mrs. E. V. Morris of De Witt, Iowa, the past month.

Mr. Hood and family entertained Mr. Quinn and family and also Mr. McCurran and family of Moline Friday.

The B. Y. P. U. was entertained at the home of Reuben Swanson in the country last Friday evening.

Mrs. L. Snyder arrived home from a several months' visit with relatives in Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Husband have been quite ill at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Welch of Sixth street.

Miss Ethel Kirkpatrick is quite ill. The woman's club is planning an interesting program for their next meeting.

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VIOLA

Nine new silos were unloaded here Monday. They have become a farming necessity. They were all Champions and sold by August Hummel to the following parties: Mike Plunkett, two; J. C. Weighler, one; Charles Volk, one; Sam Robson, one; John Evans, one; John Kness, one; Leonard Gustafson, one; L. Breckenridge, one.

The annual harvest home picnic, held at Norwood, was well attended and the usual good time is the report. The forenoon was devoted to addresses and music, the afternoon to ball games and other sports. A Monmouth band furnished the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burg, Mrs. Susan Eberhart and Mrs. Samantha Eberhart of Kansas came Tuesday for a visit at the home of Jonas Kindelsperger. Thursday morning all departed for Kokomo, Ind., to be present at a family reunion.

Mrs. M. J. Morgan was a passenger to Galesburg Thursday morning.

Miss Theresa Peters went to Galesburg Thursday morning for a short stay.

Miss Anna White returned Wednesday from an extended stay in Davenport, Iowa.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown, a boy.

William Rausch is erecting a fine residence and big barn on his farm, south of Viola. The house and barn were completely wrecked in a tornado last spring. The new house will be a model one, 30x30 ground space, and will be fitted up in the most modern and up-to-date methods. A water sys-

tem will be installed, electric light throughout, with a gasoline engine in the basement to furnish power for pumping water, generating electricity, etc. The barn, which is 32x56, is already completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent and son, Orton, spent Sunday in Burgess.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Woods, Margaret Thomas and Mrs. Mary Evans attended the tent meeting, which is being held by the Baptist people at Gingles' corner Sunday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Lipton attended camp meeting at Tindall's grove Sunday afternoon and evening.

John Winn came Tuesday evening from Hammond, Ind., to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Winn.

Dr. and Mrs. Clannahan left Monday evening for Burlington. Tuesday they attended the opening of the Keokuk dam, returning home by auto Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Briggs, Mrs. H. C. Drake and Edward Chilson, William Beachler, Dan W. Sedwick, Phillip T. Bridger, John Kimmel, S. C. Fugate and W. L. B. Jenkinson were passengers to New Windsor Wednesday morning to attend the soldiers' reunion.

Miss Margaret Bradford, who is attending business college at Galesburg, is a guest at the home of Dr. Walter Miles. Miss Effie Boyd of Streator, who has been visiting at their home also, returned to her home Wednesday morning.

R. W. Farmer disposed of his stock of restaurant goods to W. Corsepus of Donnan Junction, Iowa, who came last week and took possession at once. Mr. Corsepus owns the building and expects to continue the restaurant at the same stand.

W. F. White of Galesburg visited over Monday night at the home of Dr. G. C. Lipton.

Mrs. Susie Forsythe and daughter, Ida, and Hattie Palmer spent Sunday in Monmouth with Mrs. H. M. Krien and family.

Mrs. Ida Pinkerton of Aledo visited from Thursday until Sunday with her brother, A. C. Barr, and family at the Hotel Violetta.

K. M. Saunders visited in Aledo with relatives over Sunday. Mrs. Saunders, who has been visiting for the past three weeks in Aledo, Rock Island and other cities, returned home last Thursday morning.

Mrs. John G. Zern and Miss Hyrel Zern were guests of friends in Galesburg and Bushnell the fore part of the week.

Lester and Carl Stoner departed Wednesday evening for Kansas City to buy cattle.

Rev. T. G. Marrow of Savannah, Ill., arrived here Wednesday to attend chatauqua and visit with friends. He concluded his visit Saturday and left for Burlington, Iowa, where he will visit at his daughter's home, before returning to his home.

H. I. Smith and family of Keithsburg spent the day, Wednesday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Terrey. They were accompanied home by Homer Terrey, who will spend a few days there.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Scott of Aledo and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pomeroy of Davenport came Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Martha Minzer.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson and children returned Monday evening from a visit with Mrs. Patterson's brother, Hugh McWhirter and family, at Peoria.

Miss Verl Terrey returned home Wednesday evening from a two weeks' visit with Miss Bessie Winn at Champaign, Ill.

Miss Alice Morris is at home for a short vacation from Urbana, where she has been attending school.

Miss Wilma Barnes went to Mediapolis, Iowa, Friday on a few days' camping trip with a party from that place.

John G. Zern went to Rock Island Friday afternoon and met his sons, Shelton and Richard, who were returning from a several weeks' visit with their grandparents at Foxboro, Wis. Miss Hyrel Zern accompanied them home and will make a visit of some length here at her brother's home.

Harry Reuben returned home to Rock Island Monday, after a week's visit at the home of his uncle, A. Winstein.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kaveny departed Tuesday evening on a trip to Kansas City, Omaha and Creston, Iowa, where they will visit with relatives at each of these places.

Mr. Hill of Kewanee came Wednesday evening for a short visit with friends.

Mrs. Martha Minzer, who died at her home in Viola, Aug. 25, was born in Mercer County, Pa., March 16, 1833. In 1850 she was married to James Spears of Ohio and to them were born two children, Mrs. Lucinda Freeman, deceased, and Mrs. Mary Hunting of Preemption. In 1854 she came to Rock Island, where she followed the trade of dressmaking till 1857, when she was married to Andrew Minzer. To them were born nine children, four of whom with their father have died. The living are Mrs. Rose Foster and Mrs. Emaline Vanzandt of Pennsylvania, Mitchell Minzer of Aledo, Mrs. Kate Brown of Oklahoma, and William Minzer of Viola, who with 32 grandchildren, 45 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild, are left to mourn. She was converted in 1860 at Rock Island and has been a faithful Christian ever since. In 1890 she came to Viola, where she joined the Methodist church. The funeral services were held Wednesday morning from the M. E. church, conducted by her pastor, Rev. B. R. Nesbit. Interment was in Viola cemetery.

Arthur Terrey came home Thursday evening from his visit of a week in Monmouth, with relatives. Robert Terrey and Harry Bailey went to Aledo Wednesday evening to visit their aunts and attend the circus Thursday.

Mrs. J. R. Reynolds, who has been very ill for the past two weeks, is not improved. Her physician has ad-

FAMOUS SCULPTOR TO DESIGN SHAFT TO PIONEER MOTHER FOR PANAMA FAIR



Charles Grafty.

San Francisco, Sept. 2.—Charles Grafty, one of the most distinguished of American sculptors, has been selected to model a heroic statue, the Pioneer Mother, which is to be the central exhibit of the fine arts department of the Panama-Pacific exposition. The design will idealize the spirit of the brave women who first crossed the plains to the western shores of America. At the close of the exposition the monument will be presented by the Pioneer Mother Monument association of California to the city of San Francisco and will probably be installed permanently in the new civic center of the city.

The sculptor's first conception of this memorial is that it will consist of a heroic group with a central symbolic figure of a woman, and children, typifying the future. The past with all its wealth of romance and the present with its happy fruition from the seeds planted by the pioneer mother will be represented by sculpture panels placed as insets on the pedestal. It is expected that when completed the design will be one of the most important and artistic pieces of monumental sculpture in the United States, fulfilling the ideals of the monument association and of the sculptor as a fitting memorial to those brave women who, in early days, endured both privation and hardship in reaching California and in the American settlement and civilization of the state.

For this work the Pioneer Mother Monument association has secured one of the most famous of present day sculptors, Lorado Taft of Chicago, to engrave the monument association. "There is no better sculptor living than Charles Grafty," and other authorities agree with him.

Mr. Grafty bears many decorations. He was born in Philadelphia in 1862, studied in the schools there and afterward for many years in Paris under the French sculptors Shapu and Damp. He is a member and past vice president of the National Sculpture society and received his first recompense from the Paris salon in 1891, when he was given honorable mention. He was medaled at the Chicago world's fair in 1893, at the Atlanta exposition in 1895; he received a gold medal at the Paris exposition in 1900 and a gold medal at the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo in 1901, where his "Fountain of Man" was the most important sculptural work in the exposition. At the St. Louis exposition he served on the international jury and was therefore ineligible for award, but was given

an important commission, to execute one of the few sculptural works retained as a permanent memorial of that exposition. At the international exposition held in Buenos Aires in 1910 there were but two grand prizes in sculpture awarded by the international jury; one was to August Rodin, the French master, and the other to Mr. Grafty.

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visited a few weeks of treatment at Med. Lava Springs at Cramer, Ind., where she will be taken the first of the week.

Mrs. G. S. Whan of Rock Island is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Bello Breckenridge.

Miss Hazel Lawless of Cuba came Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Lena Lawless and family.

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